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SUBJECT: PRESIDENTIAL MESSAGE FOR 1975 THESSALONIKI FAIR

1. AS DEPARTMENT AWARE, TRADITIONAL PRESIDENTIAL MESSAGE FOR AMERICAN PAVILION AT THESSALONIKI INTERNATIONAL FAIR HAS IN PAST YEARS RECEIVED FAVORABLE COVERAGE IN LOCAL PRESS AND HIGHLIGHTED US PARTICIPATION IN FAIR. EMBASSY BELIEVES THAT BRIEF 1975 PRESIDENTIAL MESSAGE FOR LOCAL RELEASE SEPTEMBER 4, WHICH IS DESIGNATED AMERICA DAY AT FAIR, WOULD HAVE POSITIVE IMPACT AND EMPHASIZE CONTINUING US SUPPORT FOR GREEK ECONOMIC ASPIRATIONS. RECOMMEND MESSAGE ALONG FOLLOWING LINES:

2. BEGIN DRAFT TEXT: THE AMERICAN EXHIBITION AT THE 1975 THESSALONIKI FAIR UNDERSCORES THE LONG-STANDING ECONOMIC AND BUSINESS TIES EXISTING BETWEEN THE UNITED STATES AND GREECE. THIS CONTINUING EXCHANGE OF COMMERCE AND TECHNOLOGY ADVANCES THE ECONOMIC AND SOCIAL ASPIRATION OF BOTH COUNTRIES. I, THEREFORE, WISH EVERY SUCCESS TO THE 40TH THESSALONIKI FAIR AND A WARM WELCOME FOR VISITORS TO THE US PAVILION. END DRAFT TEXT.

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